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FOR: NOVEL ADAPTOR PROTEIN THAT BINDS TO MAMMALIAN TOLL-LIKE  
RECEPTOR 3, AND GENE THEREOF

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

March 28, 2008

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested. If any extension in a period for response is required, Applicants petition for the period for response to be extended by the appropriate number of months. If any fee is required to consider this response, charge the fee (or any deficiency therein) to Deposit Account 14-1140 under Order No. 1035-591.

Amended portions of the **specification** are presented on pages 2-3.

Sequence identifiers are inserted and a corrected Sequence Listing is submitted.

The **claims** are presented on pages 4-6.

Claims 1-4, 6, 9, 27 and 33-34 are amended.

Claims 5, 7-8 and 10-36 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Claim 37 is added.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.